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Docket No. <u>JM-009 CIP2</u>

Applicants : Marc Gianotti et al.

Application No.: 09/916,394 Confirmation No.: 7774

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Group Art Unit : 3731

Examiner : To Be Assigned

Hon. Commissioner for Patents c/o P.O. Box 2327 Arlington, VA 22202

## TRANSMITTAL LETTER

## Sir:

Transmitted herewith: [X] a Preliminary Amendment; [] a Reply to Office Action; [] a Supplemental Amendment; [] a substitute Specification; [] a Declaration; [] a Supplemental Declaration; [] a Power of Attorney; [] an Associate Power of Attorney; [] formal drawings; to be filed in the above-identified patent application.

## FEE FOR ADDITIONAL CLAIMS

- [ ] A fee for additional claims is not required.
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[] The following extension is applicable to the Response filed herewith; [] \$110.00 extension fee for response within first month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [] \$400.00 extension fee for response within second month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [] \$920.00 extension fee for response within third month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [] \$1,440.00 extension fee for response within fourth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R.

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